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Honorable James H. Welsh, Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Proposed Substitute Unit Well
At an Exceptional Location
Cotton Valley Bodcaw Sand, Reservoir B
CV B RB SUA
Shiloh Field
Union Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of INDIAN EXPLORATION INC., (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cotton Valley Bodcaw Sand, Reservoir B, Shiloh Field, Union Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To permit the applicant to designate and utilize their Tabor No. 1 Well as a substitute unit well for the CV B RB SUA, in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 737-A-2, for the production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Bodcaw Sand, Reservoir B, Shiloh Field, Union Parish, Louisiana, such unit and well shown on the attached plat and made a part hereof.
- 2. To find that a substitute unit well at the location shown on the attached plat will assist in draining additional hydrocarbons from the Cotton Valley Bodcaw Sand, Reservoir B, beneath the unit designated CV B RB SUA that cannot be drained by any existing well within the unit.
- 3. To consider and cover such other matter as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

The Cotton Valley Bodcaw Sand, Reservoir B, in the Shiloh Field, Union Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 737-A-2, effective August 1, 1981.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of B. F. Anderson, 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101-3110. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call B. F. Anderson at 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent, that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation, can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

The subject matter of this application does not require a pre-hearing conference.

Attached hereto and made a part of, is a plat showing the proposed substitute unit well and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being furnished. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the list of parties is being furnished to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Office of Conservation. The list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list. Upon receipt of the legal notice, it will be posted and will be published in a newspaper in the area in which the field is located.

Our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, is attached to cover the applicable hearing fee.

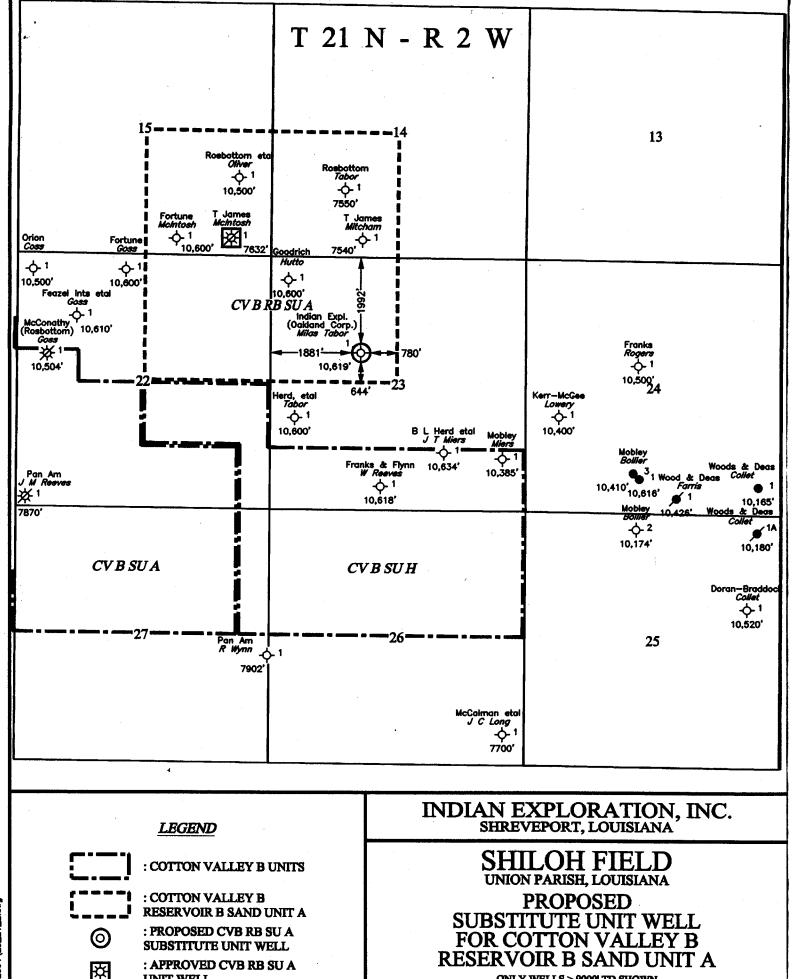
Yours very truly,

B. F. Anderson, PE for

INDIAN EXPLORATION INC.

cc: Mr. Clarence "Ace" Chandler, District Manager Monroe District Office of Conservation (w/encl.)

Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (wo/encl.) Indian Exploration Inc. (w/encl.)



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